

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 333

Call to Order: Chair Mark Blasdel, on April 20, 2017 at 3:30 P.M., in Room 405 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Mark Blasdel, Chair (R)
Rep. Jeff Essmann, Chair (R)
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)
Rep. Adam Hertz (R)
Sen. Brian Hoven (R)
Rep. Tom Jacobson (D)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Megan Moore, Legislative Branch
Nadine Spencer, Committee Secretary

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

SB 333 - Be Amended

Adopted the Conference Committee Report

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 333

00:00:23 Chair Blasdel

00:00:45 **Motion:** Sen. Hoven moved that **SB 333 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:01:00 Chair Blasdel

00:01:05 Sen. Caferro entered the meeting.

00:01:24 Rep. Essmann

00:02:15 **Motion:** Rep. Essmann moved **SECTIONS 1 AND 2 OF AMENDMENT SB033341.AMM**

EXHIBIT(ccs81sb0333a01)

Discussion:

00:02:39 Chair Blasdel

00:02:44 Megan Moore, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

00:02:56 Without objection from the committee, Sen. Essmann's motion was withdrawn.

00:03:26 Ms. Moore, LSD

00:03:55 Chair Blasdel

00:04:06 Ms. Moore

00:05:11 Sen. Hoven

00:05:30 Rep. Essmann

00:05:37 Chair Blasdel

00:05:47 Ms. Moore

00:06:40 Sen. Hoven

00:07:09 Rep. Essmann

00:07:24 Ms. Moore

00:07:52 Rep. Essmann

00:08:11 **Motion:** Rep. Essmann moved to **AMEND SB 333.**

EXHIBIT(ccs81sb0333a02)

Discussion:

00:08:37 Rep. Jacobson

00:09:08 Chair Blasdel

00:09:23 Sen. Hoven

00:09:42 **Vote:** The motion carried unanimously by voice vote in the House and in the Senate.

Discussion:

00:10:14 Ms. Moore
 00:10:30 Chair Blasdel
 00:10:37 Ms. Moore
 00:11:07 Rep. Essmann
 00:11:31 Ms. Moore
 00:11:44 Rep. Essmann
 00:11:50 Ms. Moore
 00:13:18 Rep. Essmann
 00:13:59 Ms. Moore
 00:14:25 Rep. Essmann

00:14:34 **Motion:** Rep. Essmann moved to **AMEND SB 333 CONCEPTUALLY TO CHANGE AMENDMENT 15 of SB033341.AMM.**

Discussion:

00:15:10 Ms. Moore
 00:16:04 Rep. Essmann

00:16:39 **Vote:** The motion carried unanimously by voice vote in the House and in the Senate.

Discussion:

00:16:51 Ms. Moore
 00:17:19 Rep. Essmann

00:18:32 **Motion:** Rep. Essmann moved to **AMEND SB 333 CONCEPTUALLY TO STRIKE LINES 24 AND 25 ON PAGE 36.**

Discussion:

00:18:45 Chair Blasdel
 00:19:05 Ms. Moore
 00:19:14 Sen. Hoven
 00:19:32 Ms. Moore
 00:19:53 Sen. Hoven
 00:20:11 Ms. Moore
 00:20:19 Rep. Hertz
 00:20:35 Chair Blasdel
 00:21:10 Sen. Hoven
 00:21:14 Rep. Essmann

00:21:36 **Vote:** The motion carried unanimously by voice vote in the House and in the Senate.

Discussion:

00:21:50 Sen. Hoven
 00:22:06 Ms. Moore
 00:22:16 Sen. Hoven
 00:22:22 Ms. Moore
 00:22:26 Sen. Hoven
 00:22:34 Ms. Moore
 00:23:54 Rep. Essmann
 00:24:05 Ms. Moore

00:24:18 **Motion:** Rep. Essmann moved to **AMEND SB 333.**
[**EXHIBIT\(ccs81sb0333a03\)**](#)

Discussion:

00:24:27 Rep. Essmann
 00:26:04 Sen. Caferro
 00:26:14 Rep. Essmann
 00:26:24 Sen. Caferro
 00:26:51 Rep. Essmann
 00:27:38 Sen. Hoven
 00:28:09 Rep. Jacobson

00:29:02 **Vote:** The motion failed 0-3 by roll call vote in the Senate.

Discussion:

00:29:27 Ms. Moore
 00:32:02 Chair Blasdel
 00:32:14 Rep. Hertz

00:32:51 **Motion:** Rep. Hertz moved to **AMEND SB 333 CONCEPTUALLY ON PAGE 18, LINE 1, DOES NOT APPLY TO PROVIDERS LICENSED AS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Discussion:

00:33:00 Sen. Caferro
 00:33:31 Chair Blasdel
 00:33:35 Ms. Moore
 00:34:09 Rep. Essmann
 00:34:52 Ms. Moore
 00:35:18 Rep. Essmann
 00:35:43 Sen. Caferro
 00:36:01 Rep. Hertz
 00:36:27 Sen. Caferro
 00:36:32 Rep. Hertz
 00:36:39 Ms. Moore
 00:36:55 Sen. Hoven

00:37:03 Rep. Essmann
00:37:13 Rep. Hertz
00:37:24 Ms. Moore
00:37:44 Rep. Hertz
00:37:55 Chair Blasdel
00:38:01 Ms. Moore

00:38:39 **Vote:** The motion carried unanimously by voice vote in the House and in the Senate.

00:38:52 **Motion/Vote:** Chair Blasdel moved **AMENDMENT SB033341.AMM AS AMENDED**. The motion carried unanimously by voice vote in the House and in the Senate.

00:39:23 **Motion:** Chair Blasdel moved that **SB 333 DO PASS AS AMENDED**.

Discussion:

00:39:35 Rep. Essmann
00:40:33 Sen. Caferro
00:40:49 Rep. Jacobson
00:41:09 Chair Blasdel

00:41:43 **Vote:** The motion carried unanimously by voice vote in the House and in the Senate.

00:42:11 Chair Blasdel

Note: In lieu of motion, the signed Committee Report indicates that all committee members present and voting recommend that the CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BE ADOPTED.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 4:14 PM

Nadine Spencer, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([ccs81sb0333aad.pdf](#))